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Public Sale!

TUESDAY, MARCH THE 10th, 1903.

The undersign, Executors of the will of T. S. Eckert, dec'd, will sell at public sale at the late residence of decedent, in Oxford township, Adams county, ½ mile South-east of New Oxford, along the W. M. R. R., the following personal property:

6 Head of Horses and Colts, consisting of 4 work horses, 1 light bay Norman mare rising 9 years, good leader, can't be hitched wrong, 1 bay coach mare, plow leader or wheel animal, 1 bay mare 7 yrs old, an excellent driver and worker, these are all Western mares; 1 horse 4 years old, good worker and double and single driver, 1 horse colt 3 years old, 1 yearling mare colt; 16 Head of Cattle, 7 Milch Cows, most of them fresh in the spring, 5 Heifers, 1 will be fresh in April, 3 Stock Bulls, 1 two years old the others are yearlings, 2 fine Steers 2 years old; 30 Head of Hogs, consisting of 4 brood sows, 3 with pig the other has pigs, 25 shoats of all sizes, very nice and thrifty, weigh from 40 to 150 lbs., 1 fine English Berkshire Boar; 3 Farm Wagons, 2 are 4 and 5 horse wagons 3½ and 2½ inch tread; spring wagon, falling-top buggy, road cart, good cutter, 1 "Wood" Binder with sheaf carrier and truck, pair 20 ft. hay carriages, 1 Threshing Machine, 1 grain fan, hay rake, 1 Krouse corn cultivator nearly new, 2 land rollers, 1 an iron roller, spring harrow, cultivator, corn planter, 7 Long Plows, Glen Rock and other makes, hay fork, 2 ropes & pulleys, 1 rope 120 ft. the other 100 ft., 1 Superior grain and fertilizer drill, good as new, farm bell, grindstone, tripple, double and singletrees, 4-horsetree, 1 car load of Locust Posts, log, cow, butt and breast chains, 6 sets of frontgears 2 sets of buggy harness, saddle, 2 pair of check lines, plow, buggy and wagon lines, bridles, collars, flynets, forks of all kinds, straw knife, cross-cut saw, sausage grinder and stuffer, grain and other shovels. Also 1 Double Heater, 4 Bedsteads and other articles not mentioned.

Sale to commence at 10:30 o'clock a. m. sharp. A credit of 12 months given on sums of $5 and upwards.

Emerson L. & M. A. Eckert,
Adam Kimmel, Auct. Executors.
Straley & Stough, Clerks.

Public Sale!

OF REAL ESTATE.

On Saturday, March 14th, 1903.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the premises, No. 1, Tract of Land containing 8¾ Acres, (more or less), situate partly in New Oxford Borough and partly in Oxford township, fronting on the Hanover road and running back to the W. M. R. R., adjoining lands of J. C. Geiselman. The land is in a high state of cultivation and under good fencing; it is a most desirable tract, lying along the R. R. makes it convenient for factories and along the main street with desirable building lots. No. 2, Tract of Land containing between 5 and 6 Acres, situate in rear of Catholic Cemetery, along York pike, Oxford township; part of this tract is timberland. The land is under good fencing and in a high state of cultivation. Any person wishing to view these tracts can do so by calling upon the undersigned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. Terms by P. J. NOEL.

Public Sale!

Thursday, March 19th, 1903.

The undersigned, intending to remove to Baltimore, will sell at public sale at her residence on road leading from New Oxford and Bonneauville road to Bonneauville and Hanover road, 1 mile North of Bonneauville, Mountpleasant township, Adams county, the following personal property:

1 Family Horse, 2 head of Milch Cows, both fresh in the fall; 1 fine Heifer, 100 Chickens, 1 set of Yankee Harness, flynets, lines, horse blanket, 1 Buggy, Spring Wagon, corn fork, shovel plow, 1-horse plow, set of buggy harness, ladder, forks, shover, rakes and hoes, pick, mattock, 2 crowbars, fodder by the bundle, 1 Cooking Stove and fixtures, 1 Coal Stove, 2 bedsteads, bed spring, mattress, sideboard, leaf table, 1 extension table, 6 kitchen chairs, 2 rockers, clock, lot of dishes, knives and forks, buckets, pans, tubs, barrels, 25 yds carpet, 1 lounge, 1 corner cupboard 20 yds. matting, bushel and half-bushel baskets, 2 large stone jars, crocks, glass jars, churn, 2 lard cans, 5 gal. coal oil tank, meat, hand and wood saws, pole ax, lot of old iron, lamps, lot of corn, and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock M. sharp, when terms will be made known by MARGARET McSHERRY.
G. K. Walker, Auct, Michael O'Tool, Clerk.

The sad news comes from the peach belt that the peach crop has been badly damaged by recent cold.

Weak

Heart From Attack of LaGrippe.

Palpitation, Smothering, Short Breath.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Cured Me.

The terrible after effects of LaGrippe are most dangerous when they attack the heart, the engine of life. Weak hearts are as common as weak stomachs and when an attack is made upon the weak heart, that organ soon becomes a diseased heart and the patient will unless promptly treated, suffer long and eventually die of heart disease, the dread of millions. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure strengthens and regulates the heart's action, enriches the blood and improves the circulation.

"Some years ago I had an attack of the grip, and it left me with a very weak heart. Palpitation, shortness of breath and smothering spells that made me sit up in bed to breathe, robbing me of sleep, made me most miserable. I would become fatigued and exhausted from the least exertion and was in such a critical condition that I could not attend to my business. My physician seemed unable to control my case, and instead of getting better I was gradually growing weaker every day. Then I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and after I had used two bottles I was greatly improved. I continued with the remedy until I had taken in all six bottles, when I was able to attend to business without inconvenience. I was completely and permanently cured of heart trouble by Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers from that terrible affliction."—H. H. EHLE, Gloversville, N. Y.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Court Items.

There was a session of court Monday, at which the suit for non-maintenance brought by Susan Eckenrode against her husband, Samuel Eckenrode, was disposed of. He was ordered to pay the costs and to pay his wife $1 per week towards her support until otherwise ordered by the court.

A subpœna in devorse, returnable 4th Monday in April, was awarded Emma Warren in the action of divorce instituted by her against her husband, Thaddeus Waren. Both parties live in Gettysburg. In the divorce case against J. F. Crosta against Lizzie Crosta, C. E. Stahle, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony.

Ephraim Menchey, executor of Eliza Hahn, dec'd, of Germany twp., was discharged on paying into court the share of Edna C. Greenholt in said estate.

C. H. Morrell, of Biglerville, was appointed constable to fill the unexpired term of H. L. Group, resigned.

D. P Delap of Bendersville, Wm. H. Garder and D. F. Stitzel, Latimore twp., were appointed viewers for a proposed bridge over Rock creek in Straban twp., and Hon. T. C Blocher and S. A Mehring of Littlestown, and Aaron Wehler of Union twp., were named to inspect land of Ed. Weikert for the purpose of ascertaining the advisability of annexing it witn Mt. Joy twp., for school purposes.

The report of viewers favoring a proposed road in Liberty twp., made some time ago, was set aside by the court owing to legal technicalities that rendered the view of no account.

An order of sale was granted to O. F. Benner, assignee of C Grant Musselman and wife, of Fairfield.

March 28 was fixed by the court as the date for taking proofs in the matter of the alleged lunacy of Sarah Hostetter, and the rule was dismissed in the matter of Martha E Group's petition for a rule on Amelia Group to bring action of ejectment within 90 days. In a similar petition, presented in behalf of Effie Miller against Jacob A. Gardner, rule was determined.

An answer to petition of Elizabeth Rimbaugh by Edward A. Weaver, Esq., revoking inquisition proceedings, was filed.

Council Proceedings.

New Oxford, Pa., March 2, 1903.

Council met in final session; all the members present except J U Ruff; D. F Steffy acting as President pro tem.

The Auditors report was read and approved.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to have the Treasurer's report published four times in the New Oxford ITEM.

The Council then adjourned sine die.

March 2, 1903.

The new Council was then callled into session, Messrs. E C. Livingston and C. H. Haar having been previously sworn in. Mr. Steffy acted as President pro tem, and F. B. Sellers as Secretary pro tem

The following officers were then elected for the ensuing year: President, J. U. Ruff; Secretary, T E. Bower; Treasurer, John S Weaver; Street Commissioner, A. J. Gulden; Lamp Lighter, C. H. Deatrich; Pumper, James Smith.

On motion it was ordered that the Secretary give a bond for the sum of three hundred dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

Adjourned to meet March 3, 1903.

March 3, 1903.

Council met at usual hour, Present—Messrs. Steffy, McGaughy, Haar, Livingston and Feiser D. F Steffy acting as President pro tem. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Bond of Secretary read and approved.

The Committee on Town Property reported some of the pavements as being in bad condition.

The following bills were presented, approved by the Finance Committee, and orders granted for the same:—

William Wolf, Auditor	$ 1 00
S F. Keeney, "	1 00
A G. Low, "	1 00
A. J. Gulden, labor, self and hand,	3 66
D. H. Fink, for stone,	2 10
J E. C. Miller, hardware,	14 50
J. A. Melhorn, pumping	7 50
	$30 76

Adjourned to meet in special session to morrow (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock. T. E. BOWER, Sec'y.

Charged with Forgery.

Armstrong Bower, of Carlisle, formerly of Huntington township, Adams county, is in jail in Gettysburg charged with forging the names of his father and brother and Adam Kimpel to notes Kimpel brought suit before Squire Markel at York Springs, and Bower was arrested, but released to answer at court on $800 bail, the sureties being David Kline and Wm. H. Bower. His subsequent movements were such that his bondsmen surrendered him and he was taken to jail. He left for Marysville as soon as he secured bail, and he passed himself off as I J Peters. Later he went to Cresson, where he shaved off his mustache and called himself Welsh.

It is said that when detected in a petty forgery of his brother's name some time ago, Bower repaid his brother's leniency in setting the matter by forging the latter's name to a larger note, one of $200, that same day. He figured in a Cumberland county trial several years ago being the plaintiff in a suit against three tramps whom he accused of robbing him of money belonging to the Capital City Oil Co., in whose service he was then employed. The tramps were convicted but later on established an alibi and were acquitted on a second trial.

Armstrong Bower, now in jail at Gettysburg on a charge of forgery, has had another accusation lodged against him, the warrant being served upon him in his cell by Constable Chas. H. Wilson. In this action, suit was instituted before Alderman Zinn at York by D. Martin & Co., of that city, who charge Bower with false pretense, claiming that he bought two horses valued at $200 and secured credit by claiming that he owned a farm and had personal property valued at $1,200.

Hurt by Falling Earth.

Emory Sheads, of Gettysburg, was the victim of an unfortunate accident Friday afternoon. Sheads and Geo. F. Caskey, both in th employ of the Gettysburg Gas Co., were at work in a deep ditch in front of the new Thorn houses in that place, bailing out water that had flooded the opening They were perfecting arrangements for the installation of gas in the new buildings. The ditch was about eight feet deep, and the earth on both sides had evidently become loosened by the moisture, for, suddenly and without warning, the one side caved in, burying Sheads under a heavy load of dirt.

Caskey summoned help at once, and the force of carpenters at work in the new houses promptly responded Willing hands set to work and in a short time Sheads was rescued from his interment. He was carried to his home and Dr. Henry Stewart was sent for. It was then discovered that the unfortunate man's collar bone had been broken and that he was seriously hurt. His injuries are such that it will be some time before he will be able to be about egain.

Cock Fight at White Hall.

One of the biggest cocking mains ever held in this section of the State, says the York Daily, took place Monday evening at White Hall, Adams county, in which cocks from York and Gettysburg were the attraction.

The main lasted nearly all night and a number of fierce battles took place. The Gettysburg birds were in extraordinary fine fettle and fought fast and furious, winning six out of eight battles.

The main was attended by sports from York, Gettysburg, Hanover, Littlestown, Columbia, Lancaster, Marietta and Harrisburg. All of them had lots of money and bet freely on the fights It is said that several Yorkers "dropped" all the money they had and came home broke.

Horse Killed by Train.

William Shuff, who resides at Uriah, close to the Adams.Cumberland line, has figured in a decidedly unpleasant experience. He was in a sleigh on his way home from Mt. Holly Springs, when the event occurred. He was driving a valuable horse at the time and in crossing the P. & R. railroad track at Zion's church, one of the runners was torn off his sleigh throwing him out in the snow. In falling, Mr. Shuff held on to the lines and this drew the horse around. Just then a freight train hove in sight and the animal becoming frightened started on a run towards the rapidly approaching engine which struck and instantly killed it, demolishing the sleigh. Mr Shuff in the meantime had gotten out of danger but had to walk the rest of the way home.

Beef Tongue.
Oysters in all styles,
Clam Soup,
Ham, Tongue and Cheese Sandwiches,
Deviled Crabs,
Soda Water, Ice Cream, Etc.
AT CURTIS E DIEHL'S,
Center Square Cafe.

Cuba Excludes Chinese.

Havana, March 4 —A Chinaman and his wife arrived here on board the steamer Vigilancia from New York. They were not permitted to land, and the immigration inspectors have not authorized them to return to the United States, so they are in a quandary. A Chinaman who arrived here three months ago from Tampa was disposed of yesterday by being shipped to Mexico at the expense of the steamship company. The latter also paid his living expenses for three months.

EXPLOSION KILLS SIX

Edison Cement Plant at New Village, N. J., Wrecked.

Easton, Pa., March 3.—Six men are dead and 25 or 30 others are injured, several of them seriously, from the effects of an explosion at the Edison cement plant, at New Village, N. J., seven miles from here, on the line of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad. A large part of the plant was burned. The bodies of the six men are in the ruins. Their names have not been learned.

The most seriously injured, all of whom are burned, are: E. E. Darling, New Village; William Staatz, Stewartsville, N. J., may die; Harry Rose, Phillipsburg, N. J.; R. H. Goodwellie, New York; George Bowman; Clinton S. Race, Easton; Alexander Wolf, Stewartsville; George Bowman; Harry Wilkmen, Broadway, N. J.

All of these men have been brought to Easton. The remainder of the injured are being cared for at New Village and Stewartsville at farm houses in the vicinity of the plant. Special trains have been running between New Village and Easton all night, and more of the unfortunate men are expected to be brought to the local hospital. The explosion occurred in one of the large coal bins and was caused by the ignition of a quantity of gas. The day force had discovered a slight fire about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but the men thought they had extinguished it. Foreman Rose went to the bin just before quitting time, and as he opened a door a terrific explosion occurred. The bin was blown to pieces and the workmen who were at or near it were injured. The wreckage took fire and the flames spread rapidly, and for a time no effort was made to check this progress, the attention of the uninjured being directed to the care of their loss fortunate companions. The coal bin, the blower house, the fine coal house, the coal storage building, three conveyors and one receiving tower are in ashes. Assistance was asked form the Washington, N. J., fire department.

MORE STRIKE ARGUMENT

Company and Miners' Attorneys Summoned to Washington.

Scranton, Pa., March 4.—The Scranton attorneys for the anthracite coal companies and District President Nichols and Attorney John J. Murphy, for the United Mine Workers, were yesterday summoned to Washington to again argue the question of the weighing of coal before the strike commission. President Mitchell has also been notified to appear before the commission. They will appear before the commission tomorrow.

Representatives of the operators have also been summoned for a conference in Washington tomorrow.

All the local lawyers who appeared before the commission and District President Nichols, of the United Mine Workers, left this morning for Washington.

Expect Award Very Soon.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 4.—According to the statements given out here yesterday by some of the most prominent mine workers, the award of the strike commission is expected to be in the hands of the district boards by Friday next, though none of the officers could be induced to give their opinion as to what the miners could expect.

T. D. Nichols, president of District No. 1, United Mine Workers of America, left here last night for Washington, where he will meet John Mitchell, national president, and other mine leaders.

John T. Lenahan, attorney for the non-union miners, said that he was also wanted there for the purpose of discussing the question of paying the men by weighing of coal.

GENERAL MARKETS

Philadelphia, Pa., March 3. — Flour was steady; winter superfine, $2.70@2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, $3.10@3.25; city mills, extra, $2.95@3.10. Rye flour was quiet, at $3.15@3.20 per barrel. Wheat was firm; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, new, 79½c. Corn was firm; No. 2 yellow, local, 52½c. Oats were quiet; No. 2 white, clipped, 43½c.; lower grades, 42½c. Hay was steady; No. 1 timothy, $19 for large bales. Beef was steady; beef hams, $19@20 Pork was firm; family, $20. Live poultry, 13c. for hens and 9@9½c. for old roosters. Dressed poultry, at 13½c. for choice fowls, and 10c for old roosters. Butter was steady; creamery, 32c per pound. Eggs were steady: New York and Pennsylvania, 16c. per dozen. Potatoes were steady; choice, 68@70c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

East Liberty, Pa., March 3.—Cattle were stronger; choice, $5.35@5.50; prime, $5.15@5.30; good, $4.60@5.10. Hogs were slow; prime heavies, $7.45@7.70; mediums, $7.35@7.39; heavy Yorkers, $7.15@7.25; light Yorkers, $6.95@7; pigs, $6.70@6.75; roughs, $5.50@6.75. Sheep were steady; best wethers, $5.40@5.60; culls and common, $2@3.50; choice lambs, $6.80@7; veal calves, $8.50@9.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Thursday, February 26.

Rev. Dr. Harvey W. McKnight, for nearly 20 years president of Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg, Pa., has resigned.

Crazed by the death of his wife, Henry Lippert, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., jumped into the river and was drowned.

The Cooper-Wells Hosiery plant at St. Joseph, Mich., was destroyed by fire yesterday, throwing 400 employes out of work. Loss, $225,000.

An earthquake shock was felt yesterday at Oacoma, S. D., which lasted several minutes and was severe enough to shake down stones and break the ice in the river.

Friday, February 27.

J. J. Rowe, of Cleveland, was yesterday elected president of the American Bowling Congress at Indianapolis.

King Edward has conferred the grand cross of St. Michael and St. George on Sir Michael Herbert, British ambassador at Washington.

A spark from a shifting engine at Peaks, S. C., yesterday, started a fire which nearly wiped out the little town. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

Secretary Moody has accepted the monitor Nevada, built by the Bath Iron Works, and directed that she be put in commission about March 1.

In an explosion of dust at the Auburn and Alton coal mine, near Springfield, Ill., yesterday, three miners were killed. Ten mules were also killed.

Saturday, February 28.

Robbers Thursday night blew open the postoffice safe at Garrett, Ind., and secured $1,300 in cash and stamps.

Al Maul, the famous National League pitcher, has been engaged to coach the Lehigh University base ball team.

Joseph Keenan, colored, was hanged at Greenville, S. C., for murder. It was the second legal hanging in South Carolina since 1884.

New York city will pay William Waldorf Astor $467,974 in settlement of a claim for land acquired by the city in improving the water front.

President Roosevelt yesterday signed a bill providing for the erection in Washington of statues to Count Pulaski and Major General Baron von Steuben, of the Continental army.

Monday, March 2.

It is said that American trained nurses are in great demand at present in Paris.

Rear Admiral William Harkness, retired, died at his home in Jersey City Saturday of typhoid fever.

Judge William R. Day was sworn in today as the successor of Justice Shiras, of the United States supreme court.

The United States army transports Logan and Kilpatrick, loaded with troops and baggage for the Philippines, sailed from San Francisco Saturday.

Maddened by an unfortunate investment of his savings, Joseph A. Fritz, of San Francisco, shot and killed M. J. Morrison, fatally wounded Miss J. Yardell and then committed suicide.

Tuesday, March 3.

President Roosevelt yesterday signed the army appropriation and the Philippine coinage bills.

Police Captains Schmittberger and Titus, of New York, were yesterday promoted to be inspectors.

The state of Iowa has appointed a commission to erect three monuments on the Chickamauga battlefield, Tenn.

Captain W. J. Clarke, of the Washington American League club, is coaching the Annapolis naval academy base ball team.

Dr. James Mitchell, private secretary to President Lincoln during the Civil War, died at Mount Zion, Ga., yesterday, aged 85 years.

Wednesday, March 4.

The National Good Roads Association will hold an international congress in St. Louis from April 27 to May 2.

Two trainmen were killed in a collision on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad near Huntington, W Va., yesterday.

Arbor Days in Pennsylvania will be observed on April 3 and 17, in accordance with Governor Pennypacker's proclamation.

Dave Johnson, one of the best known bookmakers in New York, says he lost $1,000,000 in the past few years, and will quit the turf for good.

The Olive Stove Company's plant at Rochester, N Y., was completely destroyed by fire. Loss, $75,000 One employe was fatally burned.

Lancaster, Pa., March 2.—Mrs. Catharine B Larnish, 57 years old, died Saturday from a peculiar cause. Some weeks ago she was advised to place a slice of lemon on her corn. She used part of a lemon that was cut several days earlier and the germs in the lemon caused gangrene. Her leg was amputated to save her life, but she failed to rally.

A Few From McSherrystown.

Mrs. Clarence Smith and Miss Carrie Wilt have returned from Baltimore, where they recently underwent treatment at the Union Protestant Infirmary. Both are greatly improved.

Many of the cigarmakers who have been laid off, owing to the unsettled state of the cigar industry, are now working steadily, the factories having resumed operations and hope is entertained that all may remain so.

The funeral of Mrs. Harry J. Bair, late of Fourth street, was held from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, Rev. Father Hemler officiating. Interrment was made at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Hanover.

Clarence Klunk, of Main street, and George Bollinger, of Midway, left Monday afternoon for Fort Wayne, Ind., where they will work at cigarmaking.

Edward V. Heist and Miss Carrie V. Sharretts, both of Midway, were married Sunday evening, Feb. 5, at 6:30 o'clock, in St. Mary's Church, by Rev. Father P. P. Hemler.

Hampton Items.

Misses Georgia Malaun and Ethel Pottorff, of this place, visited friends at East Berlin on Sunday.

Services in the Lutheran church this place, this Sunday morning; also in the U. B. Church Sunday evening.

Mr. Robert Chronister, of Round Hill, was the guest of Mr. Geo. Fissel and family, this place, on Sunday.

Miss Beulah Klingel, of this place, visited friends at Baltimore and Hanover, recently.

Mr. James Paddy and wife of Sparrow's Point, are the guests of Mrs. Deardorff, of this place.

Mr. Charles Jacobs and family of near this place, Mr. Harry Myers, wife and daghter, Miss Mary, of this place, visited friends at Thomasville on Sunday.

The Sewing Circle of the Lutheran church will hold an oyster and chicken supper in the hall, this place, on Thursday evening, Feb. 16. H.

The Funeral Benefit Association of the Patriotic Order Sons of America of the United States, will hold its next annual convention in York on the first Tuesday in May.

AGONIZING BURNS—are instantly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbank, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores. 25c at Randolph Wehler's druggist.

RESCUED THIRTY ICE-BOUND MEN

Sixteen of Them Were Marooned Since January 4.

Princess Anne, Md., Feb. 6.—Thirty oystermen, who had been imprisoned in the ice in Tangier Sound, were rescued by the iceboat Annapolis. The steamer left Annapolis Friday to relieve the imprisoned men, but ran aground in the shallow waters of the sound. The steamer Howard left Annapolis yesterday to succor the ice-bound men, but the Annapolis, having been floated, succeeded in reaching the imprisoned men. Beside the 14 men who were found in the marshes off Deal's Island, 16 others were discovered nearby in Kedges Strait, where they had been ice-bound since January 4. The Annapolis took the men, who are all said to live in Somerset county, Md., to Deals Island.

Chose Death By Burning Oil.

Sistersville, W. Va., Feb. 6.—Linsey Owens, a prosperous farmer, living about 14 miles southeast of this city, suicided in a horrible manner, after an unsuccessful attempt to murder his wife. Maddened through jealousy, so it is alleged, Owens shot at his wife with a 38-calibre revolver while both were in the house, and then walked to the farm of a neighbor, F. T. McCullough, where an oil tank was located, and after setting fire to the oil, deliberately plunged into the burning fluid. When the fire could be extinguished and the body recovered it had been burned beyond all rocognition.

Aged Man Frozen to Death.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 7.—After an all-night search, the body of aged John Mann, of Mechanicsburg, was found in a snow drift along the Chambersburg pike, near Salem Church. He was carried to a nearby farm house, where he died a short time after. He was frozen so badly that he did not regain consciousness. Mr. Mann wandered away from his home at the residence of his son-in-law, Harris McElhinney, Mechanicsburg, Saturday afternoon.

19-Year-Old Bride Tries Suicide.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Mrs. Maurice Macrenier, a 19-year-old bride, lies at the point of death in St. James' Mercy hospital, Hornellsville, having shot herself through the lungs with a revolver. She came to this country from France with her husband a short time ago, immediately after their marriage. They went to work in a silk mill at Paterson, N. J., and afterwards came to Hornellsville to work in a silk mill there.

CHURCH NOTICES

First Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Preaching Services Sunday at 7 p. m. Sunday School 9 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. 6 p. m.; Junior C. E. 2 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:15 p. m.
REV. GEO. N. LAUFFER, Pastor.

St. Paul Reformed Church.

Preaching Services Sunday at 7 p. m.; Sunday School 9:00 a. m.; C. E. Society 6 p. m.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.
REV. S. P. MAUGER, Pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Preaching Services Sunday at 10 a. m.; Sunday School 9 a. m.; Epworth League 6 p. m.; Junior League 2 p. m.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.
REV. W. W. HARTMAN, Pastor.

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Sunday—Low Mass at 8:00 o'clock and High Mass 10 o'clock. Young People's Sodality 6 p. m.; Prayers and Benediction 6:30 p. m.
During the week—Mass at 7:45 o'clock.
REV. L. AUG. REUDTER, Pastor.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY THE MOTHER'S FAVORITE.—The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by Randolph Wehler, drug store.

Spring Sales.

We call the attention of those who will have public sale during the winter and spring to the importance of having your bills printed at the ITEM office. This office prints as fine a sale bill as any in the county. The prices are also as low as any other office. You will also get a notice of the sale in the sale register free of charge, from now until the day of sale. When you have selected your date send it in at once and have it advertised from now until day of sale.

—FEBRUARR.—

Monday, Feb 27 1905, Strayer Bros. & Co., will sell on their farm in Washington township, York Co., Pa., 2 miles North of East Berhn, commonly known as the Butt farm. 10 head of mules, 2 head of horses, 15 head of milch cows, 30 head of young cattle, a large lot of hogs, and the entire lot of farming machinery and implements. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m.

—MARCH.—

2—Wm. E. Hart, Mountpleasant township, near Cedar Ridge, stock and implements.
6—C. E. Deatrick, near Hunterstown, stock and farm implements.
9—Milton Bollinger, Berwick township, larg lot of farm stock and implements.
18—J. S. Weaver, Oxford township, stock and farm implements.
14—I. C. Thomas, Hamilton township, large lot of farm stock and implements.
20—Lewis A. Shorb, near Mt. Rock, farm stock and implements.
20—J. C. Geiselman, Oxford township, stock and implements.
21—H. A. Weikert, Mountpleasant township, live stock and farm implements.
22—A L. Wingert, Mountpleasant township, large lot of stock and implements.
28—Harry M. Stallsmith, Mountpleasant town ship, farm stock and implements.

J. B. Crist's List of Spring Sales.

FEBRUARY

11 David March, Conewago.
16 D H Baker, Hamilton.
17 William Brown, Reading.
23 Alexander Hoffheins, Straban.
24 Dr W B Hollinger, Berwick.
28 J B Grove, Reading.

MARCH.

1 Jonas Trimmer, Hamilton.
2 Charles Myers, Reading.
3 Mary A Cromer, Washington.
4 Samuel Becker, "
6 Ammon Chronister, Huntington.
7 Worthington Kohler, Mountpleasant.
8 Samuel Bollinger, Reading.
9 Milton Bollinger, Berwick.
11 George Bollinger, Hamilton.
11 Charles Bechtel, Berwick.
13 James Melheims, Mountpleasant.
14 Isaac Thomas, Hamilton.
15 Henry L Swope, Hamilton.
16 James Dutton, Straban.
17 Amos Sell, near Hanover.
18 John S Weaver, Oxford.
20 Lewis Shorb, Mountpleasant.
21 Frank Painter, near Littlestown.
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